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After-School Resources

The following list of organizations, Web sites, e-mail listservs, and publications is not exhaustive nor does it imply endorsement of

Action for Children

78 Jefferson Avenue
Columbus, OH 43215
(614) 224-0222
www.childcare-experts.org

Afterschool Alliance

Charles Stewart Mott Foundation
1200 Mott Foundation Building
Flint, MI 48502
(810) 238-5651
www.afterschoolalliance.org

The AFL-CIO Working Women's Department

815 16th Street, NW
Washington, DC 20006
(202) 637-5064
www.aflcio.org/women

America Reads Challenge

U.S. Department of Education
600 Independence Avenue, SW
Washington, DC 20202
(202) 401-8888
(800) USA-LEARN
www.ed.gov/inits/americanreads

a particular group by the U.S. Department of Education or the U.S. Department of Justice. Instead, the list presents a collection of resources that can help educators, youth-serving organizations, parents, and others develop and enhance after-school programs in communities nationwide.

Organizations

America's Promise: The Alliance for Youth

909 North Washington Street
Alexandria, VA 22314-1556
(800) 365-0153
(703) 684-4500
www.americaspromise.org

American Library Association

Young Adult Services Division
50 East Huron Street
Chicago, IL 60611
(312) 944-6780
www.ala.org

AmeriCorps

Corporation for National Service
1201 New York Avenue, NW
Washington, DC 20525
(800) 94-ACORPS
www.americorps.org

American Youth Policy Forum

1836 Jefferson Place
Washington, DC 20036
(202) 775-9731
www.aypf.org

Association of Science-Technology Centers

Youth Alive Initiative
1025 Vermont Avenue, NW, Suite 500
Washington, DC 20005-3516
(202) 783-7200
www.astc.org

ASPIRA Association Inc.

1444 I Street, NW, Suite 800
Washington, DC 20005
(202) 835-3600
www.incacorp.com/aspira

Association of Junior Leagues International

660 First Avenue
New York, NY 10016
(212) 683-1515
www.ajli.org

Beacon Schools

Fund for the City of New York
121 6th Avenue
New York, NY 10013
(212) 925-6675
www.fcny.org

Big Brothers/Big Sisters of America

230 North 13th Street
Philadelphia, PA 19107
(215) 567-7000
www.bbbsa.org

Boys and Girls Clubs of America

1230 West Peachtree Street, NW
Atlanta, GA 30309
(404) 815-5765
www.bgca.org

Boy Scouts of America

1325 West Walnut Hill Lane
Box 152079
Irving, TX 75015-2079
(972) 580-2000
www.bsa.scouting.org

Bridges to Success

United Way of Central Indiana
3901 N. Meridian
Indianapolis, IN 46208
(317) 921-1283
www.uwci.org

California Department of Education

Child Development Division
560 J Street, Suite 220
Sacramento, CA 95814
(916) 323-1313

California Tomorrow

436 14th Street, Suite 820
Oakland, CA 94612
(510) 496-0220
www.californiatomorrow.org

Camp Fire Boys and Girls

4601 Madison Avenue
Kansas City, MO 64112
(816) 756-1950
www.campfire.org

Charles Stewart Mott Foundation

1200 Mott Foundation Building
Flint, MI 48502
(810) 238-5651
www.mott.org

Center for Community Partnerships

University of Pennsylvania
3440 Market Street, Suite 440
Philadelphia, PA 19104
(215) 898-0240
www.upenn.edu/ccp

Center for Creative Education

3359 Belvedere Road, Suite 5
West Palm Beach, FL 33406
(561) 687-5200

Center for the Study and Prevention of Violence

University of Colorado, Campus Box 442
Boulder, CO
(303) 492-1032
www.colorado.edu/cpsv

Center for Youth Development and Policy Research

Academy for Educational Development
1255 23rd Street, NW, Suite 400
Washington, DC 20037
(202) 884-8000
www.aed.org

Child Care Action Campaign

330 Seventh Avenue, 17th Floor
New York, NY 10001
(212) 239-0138
www.usakids.org/sites/ccac.html

Child Care Aware

2116 Campus Drive, SE
Rochester, MN 55904
(800) 424-2246

Children's Aid Society

105 E. 22nd Street
New York, NY 10010
(212) 949-4917
www.childrensaidsociety.org

Children's Defense Fund

25 E Street, NW
Washington, DC 20001
(202) 628-8787
www.childrensdefense.org

CityKids Foundation

57 Leonard Street
New York, NY 10013
(212) 925-3320
www.citykids.com

Collaborative Leaders Program

Institute for Educational Leadership
1001 Connecticut Avenue, NW, Suite 310
Washington, DC 20036
(202) 822-8405
www.iel.org

Coalition for Community Schools

Institute for Educational Leadership
1001 Connecticut Avenue, Suite 310
Washington, DC 20036
(202) 822-8405
www.communityschools.org

Communities in Schools Inc.

1199 North Fairfax Street, Suite 300
Alexandria, VA 22314
(703) 519-8999
www.cisnet.org

Community Solutions for Children

P.O. Box 10773
Bainbridge Island, WA 98110
(206) 855-9123
E-mail: nissanih@seanet.com

The Conference Board

845 Third Avenue
New York, NY 10022-6679
(212) 759-0900
(212) 980-7014 (fax)
www.conference-board.org

The Congress of National Black Churches Inc.

1225 Eye Street, NW, Suite 750
Washington, DC 20005-3914
(202) 371-1091
www.cnbc.org

Cross Cities Campaign for Urban School Reform

407 South Dearborn Street, Suite 1500
Chicago, IL 60605
(312) 322-4880

Council for Chief State School Officers

One Massachusetts Avenue, NW
Suite 700
Washington, DC 20001
(202) 408-5505
www.ccsso.org

CRU Institute

845 106th Avenue, NE
Suite 109
Bellevue, WA 98004
(800) 922-1988
www.conflict.net/cru/

Developmental Studies Center

2000 Embarcadero, Suite 305
Oakland, CA 94606-5300
(510) 533-0213

DeWitt Wallace-Reader's Digest Fund

Two Park Avenue
New York, NY 10016
(212) 251-9800
www.dewittwallace.org

Explore

4900 Wetheredsville Road
Baltimore, MD 21207
(410) 448-9930
www.exploreinc.com

Families and Work Institute

330 Seventh Avenue
New York, NY 10001
(212) 465-2044
www.familiesandwork.org

Family Resource Coalition of America

20 North Wacker Drive, Suite 1100
Chicago, IL 60606
(312) 338-0900
www.frca.org

Fight Crime: Invest in Kids

1334 G Street, NW
Washington, DC 20005-3107
(800) 245-6476
www.fightcrime.org

Food Research Action Center

1875 Connecticut Avenue, NW
Washington, DC 20009
(202) 986-2200

Foundation for Excellent Schools

RD 4, Box 480
Middlebury, VT 05753
(802) 462-3170
www.fesnet.org

Foundations Inc.

821 Eastgate Drive
Mount Laurel, NJ 08054
(888) 977-KIDS
www.foundations-inc.org

Georgia School-Age Care Association

246 Sycamore Street, Suite 252
Decatur, GA 30030
(404) 373-7414
E-mail: gsaca@aol.com

Girl Scouts of the U.S.A.

420 Fifth Avenue
New York, NY 10018-2702
(800) 247-8319
www.girlscouts.org

Girls Inc. National Headquarters

120 Wall Street
New York, NY 10005
(212) 509-2000
www.girlsinc.org

Illinois Institute for Dispute Resolution

110 West Main Street
Urbana, IL 61801
(217) 384-4118

Institute for Responsive Education

Northeastern University
50 Nightingale Hall
Boston, MA 02115
(617) 373-2595
www.resp-ed.org

Interfaith Areas Foundation of Texas and the Southwest

1106 Clayton Lane, Suite 120W
Austin, TX 78723
(512) 459-6551

International Youth Foundation

32 South Street, Suite 500
Baltimore, MD 21202
(410) 347-1500
E-mail: youth@iyfnet.org

Junior Achievement

One Education Way
Colorado Springs, CO 80906
(719) 540-8000
www.ja.org

Kaplan Educational Centers

888 Seventh Avenue
New York, NY 10106
(212) 707-5287

League of Women Voters Education Fund

1730 M Street, NW
Washington, DC 20036
(202) 429-1965
www.lwv.org

Learn and Serve America

Corporation for National Service
1201 New York Avenue, NW
Washington, DC 20525
(202) 606-5000
www.cns.gov

National 4-H Council

7100 Connecticut Avenue
Chevy Chase, MD 20815
(301) 961-2808
www.fourhcouncil.edu

National Assembly

1319 F Street, NW
Washington, DC 20004
(202) 347-2080
www.nassembly.org

National Association of Child Care Resources and Referral Agencies

1319 F Street, NW, Suite 810
Washington, DC 20004
(202) 393-5501
www.childcarerr.org

National Association of Elementary School Principals

1615 Duke Street
Alexandria, VA 22314-3483
(703) 684-3345
www.naesp.org

National Association of Police Athletic Leagues

618 U.S. Highway 1, Suite 201
North Palm Beach, FL 33408-4609
(561) 844-1823
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National Association of Secondary School Principals

1904 Association Drive
Reston, VA 20191
(703) 860-0200
www.nassp.org

National Center for Child Care Workforce

733 15th Street, NW, Suite 800
Washington, DC 20005-2112
(202) 737-7700
www.ccw.org

National Center for Community Education

1017 Avon Street
Flint, MI 48503
(810) 238-0463
www.nccenet.org

National Center for Schools and Communities

Fordham University
33 West 60th Street, 8th Floor
New York, NY 10023
(212) 636-6699

National Child Care Information Center

Child Care Bureau
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U.S. Department of Health and Human Services
243 Church Street
2nd Floor
Vienna, VA 22180
(800) 616-2242
www.nccic.org

National Clearinghouse on Families and Youth

Family and Youth Services Bureau
Administration on Children, Youth and Families
U.S. Department of Health and Human Services
P.O. Box 13505
Silver Spring, MD 20911
(301) 608-8098
www.ncfy.com

National Coalition of Hispanic Health and Human Service Organizations

1501 16th Street, NW
Washington, DC 20036
(202) 387-5000
www.cossmho.org

National Coalition of Community Foundations for Youth

P.O. Box 489
Excelsior, MO 64024
(913) 713-6111
www.ccfy.org

National Collaboration for Youth

1319 F Street, NW
Washington, DC 20004
(202) 347-2080
www.nydic.org

National Community Education Association

3929 Old Lee Highway
Suite 91-A
Fairfax, VA 22030
(703) 359-8973
www.ncea.org

National Federation of State High School Associations

P.O. Box 20626
11724 NW Plaza Circle
Kansas City, MO 64153
(816) 464-5400
www.nfhs.org

National Guild of Community Schools of the Arts

P.O. Box 8018
Englewood, NJ 07631
(201) 871-3337
www.natguild.org

National Helpers Network

245 Fifth Avenue, Suite 1705
New York, NY 10016
(212) 679-2482
www.nationalhelpers.org

National Institute on Out-of-School Time

The MOST Initiative
Center for Research on Women
Wellesley College
Wellesley, MA 02181-8259
(781) 283-2547
www.wellesley.edu/WCW/CRW/SAC

The National Mentoring Partnership

1400 I Street, NW
Suite 850
Washington, DC 20005
(202) 729-4340
www.mentoring.org

National Network for Youth

1319 F Street, NW
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Washington, DC 20004
(202) 783-7949
www.NN4Youth.org

National Governors Association

Hall of States
444 North Capitol Street, NW
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Washington, DC 20001-1512
(202) 624-5300
www.nga.org

National Peer Helpers Association

P.O. Box 2684
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(252) 522-3959
www.peerhelping.org
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National PTA

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(312) 670-6782
www.pta.org
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National Recreation and Park Association

22377 Belmont Ridge Road
Ashburn, VA 20148
(703) 858-0784

National School-Age Care Alliance

1137 Washington Street
Boston, MA 02124
(617) 298-5012
www.nsaca.org

National Ten-Point Leadership Foundation

411 Washington Street
Dorchester, MA 02124
(617) 282-6704

National Urban League

Time to Beat the Street
Office of Development
120 Wall Street
New York, NY 10005
(888) 326-9688
www.nul.org

North Carolina Center for the Prevention of School Violence

20 Enterprise Street, Suite 2
Raleigh, NC 27607-6704
(919) 515-9397
www.ncsu.edu/cpsv

Open Society Institute

New York After-School Programs
400 West 59th Street
New York, NY 10019
(212) 548 0600 or (212) 757 2323

Pacific Institute for Community Organizing

171 Santa Rosa Avenue
Oakland, CA 94610
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Parents United for Child Care

30 Winter Street
Boston, MA 02108-4720
(617) 426-8288

Partnership for After-School Education

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New York, NY 10271
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Partnership for Family Involvement in Education

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www.pfie.ed.gov

Rural School and Community Trust

808 17th Street, NW
Suite 220
Washington, DC 20006
(202) 955-7177
www.ruraledu.org

Save the Children, U.S. Programs

54 Wilton Road
Westport, CT 06881
(203) 221-4084
www.savechildren.org

School-Age Notes

P.O. Box 40205
Nashville, TN 37204
(615) 242-8464
www.schoolagenotes.com

Schools of the 21st Century

Bush Center in Child Development and Social Policy
Yale University
310 Prospect Street
New Haven, CT 06511
(203) 432-9944
www.yale.edu/bushcenter/21C/

Search Institute

700 South Third Street, Suite 210
Minneapolis, MN 55415-1138
(612) 376-8955
www.search-institute.org

St. Louis Caring Communities Program

4411 North Newstead
St. Louis, MO 63115
(314) 877-2050

Sylvan Learning Systems Inc.

1000 Lancaster Street
Baltimore, MD 21202
(410) 843-8000
(888) 7SYLVAN
www.sylvanatschool.com

United National Indian Tribal Youth Inc.

P.O. Box 25042
Oklahoma City, OK 73125
(405) 236-2800
www.unityinc.org

U.S. Tennis Association

70 W. Red Oak Lane
White Plains, NY 10604
(914) 696-7233
www.usta.com/index2.html

United Way of America

701 North Fairfax Street
Alexandria, VA 22314
(703) 836-7112
www.unitedway.org

Voyager

1125 Longpoint Avenue
Dallas, TX 75247
(214) 631-0990
www.iamvoyager.com

Women's Bureau

U.S. Department of Labor
Work and Family Clearinghouse
200 Constitution Avenue, NW, Room 3317
Washington, DC 20210-0002
(202) 219-4486
www.dol.gov/dol/wb/

Work/Family Directions

American Business Collaboration for
Quality Dependent Care
930 Commonwealth Avenue
Boston, MA 02215
(800) 767-9863
www.wfd.com

YMCA of the USA

101 North Wacker Drive
Chicago, IL 60606
(312) 977-0031
www.ymca.net

YWCA of the USA

350 Fifth Avenue, 3rd Floor
New York, NY 10118
(212) 273-7800
www.ywca.org

Web Sites

The Benton Foundation's Connect for Kids

www.connectforkids.org

This site provides extensive information and endless ideas to help parents become actively involved in making the community better for their children.

The C. S. Mott Foundation

www.mott.org

The C.S. Mott Foundation, which supports community-school partnerships, is a leading partner in the U.S. Department of Education's 21st Century Community Learning Centers initiative.

The Gateway

ERIC Clearinghouse on Information & Technology

**U.S. Department of Education,
National Library of Education**

www.thegateway.org

The Gateway provides one-stop access to high-quality lesson plans, curriculum units, and other education resources. Browse subject and keyword lists or search The Gateway on all sorts of topics.

The Finance Project

www.financeproject.org

This Web site is part of a series of technical assistance resources on financing and sustaining out-of-school time and community school initiatives. The site was developed by The Finance Project, with support from the DeWitt Wallace-Reader's Digest Fund.

Federal Resources for Educational Excellence

www.ed.gov/free

Features of the site include resources for teaching and learning from 30 federal agencies, search tools, and a bulletin board for teachers and federal agencies to communicate about opportunities to collaborate on new teaching and learning resources.

Mid-Continent Regional Educational Laboratory

www.mcrel.org/programs/21stcentury

One of the U.S. Department of Education-funded regional education laboratories created this useful compendium of Internet resources and examples of innovative after-school programs.

National Institute for Out-of-School Time

www.wellesley.edu/WCW/CRW/SAC

Locate information about school-age child care from the National Institute for Out-of-School Time at Wellesley College (formerly the School-Age Child Care Project).

The National Governors Association

www.nga.org

The National Governors Association has a Center for Best Practices with information on schools and after-school programs, among many other topics. *Extra Learning Opportunities* is a quarterly Web-based newsletter that provides governors' education advisors and other interested individuals with information on recent extra learning opportunities activities.

National Network for Child Care

www.nncc.org/

This site offers an extensive database of publications, a listserv supported by the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Cooperative Extension Service, support and assistance from child care experts and newsletter on child care.

National Performance Review

www.afterschool.gov

A one-stop shopping Web site for parents, teachers, after-school providers, and kids to learn about after-school resources from many different government and nonprofit agencies.

Northwest Regional Educational Laboratory

www.nwrel.org/learns

LEARNS—a program of one of the U.S. Department of Education-funded regional education laboratories—features downloadable resources, innovative ideas for literacy practices, and education-based national service projects.

Partnership for Family Involvement in Education

www.pfie.ed.gov

Visit this Web site for information about the partnership, including how to join; a list of members; examples of partner activities; a comprehensive listing of U.S. Department of Education publications on family and community involvement, including after-school programs; and other resources.

University of California at Irvine After-School Training and Resource Materials

www.gse.uci.edu/afterschool/us

Staff training and program resource materials for local education projects in California and beyond can be found on this very comprehensive Web site.

U.S. Department of Education

www.ed.gov

Find out the latest news about national education issues; review education-related publications and statistics; and learn about the offices and programs at the U.S. Department of Education. Go to www.ed.gov/21stccle/ to learn more about the Department's after-school program.

U.S. Department of Health and Human Services

www.hhs.gov

The many resources available through this federal agency are featured on its Web site.

U.S. Department of Justice Justice for Kids and Youth

www.usdoj.gov/kidspage

Children and youth can learn about crime prevention, safety, volunteer and community service opportunities and the criminal justice system on this Web site.

E-Mail Listservs

EDInfo

Subscribe to this listserv and receive via e-mail the latest news about the U.S. Department of Education. Visit www.ed.gov/news.html to sign up.

ERIC Clearinghouse on Elementary and Early Childhood Education

Subscribe to a joint ERIC Clearinghouse on Elementary and Early Childhood Education listserv, which enables practitioners, policy-makers, and parents to share ideas, resources, problems and solutions. Send a message (without your e-mail signature if you have one) to: listserv@postoffice.cso.uiuc.edu. Leave the subject line blank and just type subscribe SAC-L <Your Full Name Here>.

Mott After-School

Join an e-mail discussion group organized by the C.S. Mott Foundation to exchange information, ideas, resources, and experiences related to the 21st Century Community Learning Centers Initiative. Sign up through the Web site at www.mott.org.

School-to-Work

Ask questions, debate policy, share ideas and practices, and discuss problems and solutions on the School-to-Work listserv discussion group. The listserv is open to anyone. Sign up through the Web site at www.stw.ed.gov/list.htm.

Service Learning

Sponsored by the National Service-Learning Clearinghouse, the NSLCK-12 Listserv is an electronic forum for the discussion of service-learning among administrators, practitioners, researchers, and students. For sign-up information, visit <http://nicsl.jaws.umn.edu/>.

Publications

After-School

As you think about organizing and implementing an after-school program, you can find helpful information and free publications through the U.S. Department of Education's Web site.

Ordering publications is easy. Just call ED Pubs, a Department service that provides publications free to the public. Call toll-free at (877) 4ED-PUBS, or order online by visiting the Web site at www.ed.gov/pubs/edpubs.html.

- *Working for Children and Families: Safe and Smart After-School Programs*
- *Keeping Schools Open as Community Learning Centers*
- *Give Us Wings, Let Us Fly*

Reading

As you think about organizing and implementing your after-school program, useful information on literacy can be found on the Department of Education's America Reads Challenge Web site www.ed.gov/americanreads.

All America Reads Challenge publications can be ordered at 1-877-4ED-PUBS and found at www.ed.gov/americanreads/resources.html unless noted Web site only.

- *The Read*Write*Now Activity Poster (English & Spanish)*

- *The America Reads Challenge Resource Kit: Information on how to implement and maintain a community literacy program. (Web site only)*
- *Start Early Finish Strong: How to Help Every Child Become a Reader (Web site only)*
- *Ideas at Work: How to Help Every Child Become a Reader*
- *The Read Write Now! Basic Kit! (Web site only)*
- *The Ready*Set*Read Activity Guides for Families and Caregivers (English & Spanish) (Web site only)*
- *So That Every Child Can Read... America Reads Community Tutoring Partnerships (Web site only)*
- *Read with Me: A Guide for Student Volunteers Starting Early Childhood Literacy Programs*
- *Checkpoints for Progress: In Reading and Writing for Families and Communities*
- *Checkpoints for Progress: In Reading and Writing for Teachers and Learning Partners*
- *Simple Things You Can Do To Help All Children Read Well and Independently by the End of Third Grade (Web site only)*

- *Learning to Read/Reading to Learn Information Kit*
(Web site only)
- *On the Road to Reading: A Guide for Community Partners*
(Web site only)
- *Reading Helpers: A Guide for Training Tutors*
(Web site only)
- *Helping Your Child Become a Reader*
(Call 1-888-878-3256)
- *We Want You Posters & Brochures*
(material to be used to recruit literacy volunteers)
- *E-MATH: A Guide to E-mail Based Volunteer Programs Designed to Help Students Master Challenging Mathematics, Science and Technology*
- *Mathematics Equals Opportunity*
- *Improving Mathematics in Middle School: Lessons from TIMSS and Related Research*
- *Formula for Success: A Business Leader's Guide to Supporting Math and Science Achievement*
- *Self-Assessment Guide for Improving Mathematics: Using Federal Resources for Improving Mathematics Teaching and Learning*

Mathematics

As you think about organizing and implementing your after-school program with a math focus, information is available on the Department of Education's Web site at www.ed.gov/americanaccounts. These math publications can be useful to you:

- *Overview*
- *Special Initiatives: Mathematics Mentoring and Tutoring*
- *Tutoring Roadmap*
- *Yes, You Can! Establishing Mentoring Programs to Prepare Youth for College*
- *Resources and Opportunities for Establishing High-Quality Mathematics Tutoring Programs*

Preparing for College

As you think about organizing and implementing your after-school program with an emphasis on preparing for college early, information is available on the Department of Education's Web site www.ed.gov/thinkcollege/. The following publications can be useful to you:

- *Getting Ready for College Early*
- *Preparing Your Child for College*
- *Think College? Me? Now?*
- *Funding Your Education 2000/2001*
- *2000/2001 Student Guide*
- *Yes, You Can! Establishing Mentoring Programs to Prepare Youth for College*

Teacher Quality

As you think about organizing and implementing your after-school program as a teaching laboratory for new—and even experienced—teachers, visit www.ed.gov/inits/teachers/teach.html for information. These materials can also be useful to you:

- *A Talented, Dedicated, and Well-Prepared Teacher in Every Classroom: U.S. Department of Education Initiative on Teaching Information Kit*
- *Promising Practices: New Ways to Improve Teacher Quality*
- *Building Bridges: The Mission & Principles of Professional Development*
- *What to Expect Your First Year of Teaching*
- *Teacher Quality: A Report on the Preparation and Qualifications of Public School Teachers*
- *The Challenge for America: A High Quality Teacher in Every Classroom*
- *Trying to Beat the Clock: Uses of Teacher Professional Time in Three Countries*

Technology

As you think about organizing and implementing your after-school program with an emphasis in technology, information is available on the Department of Education's Web site at www.ed.gov/

Technology/. These publications can be useful to you:

- *Getting On-line: A Friendly Guide for Teachers, Students and Parents*
- *Parents Guide to the Internet*
- *Getting America's Students Ready for the 21st Century: Meeting the Technology Literacy Challenge*
- *An Educator's Guide to Evaluating the Use of Technology in Schools and Classrooms*

In addition, the following web site can be very useful for after-school programs:

www.ed.gov/free/. Federal Resources for Educational Excellence (FREE) provides easy access to hundreds of teaching and learning resources from more than 35 federal agencies.

The Arts

As you think about organizing and implementing your after-school program with an emphasis in the arts, information is available on the Department of Education's Web site at www.ed.gov/pubs/ArtsEd/ or the Arts Education Partnership Web site at www.aep-arts.org. The following publications and Web sites may also be useful to you:

- *Transforming Ideas for Teaching and Learning the Arts. Visit www.ed.gov/pubs/StateArt/Arts/back.html.*
- *Arts Education and School Improvement Resources for State and*

Local Leaders. For information and to obtain an updated copy of the publication, visit www.ed.gov/pubs/ArtsEd/title.html.

- *Good Schools Require the Arts.* To request a copy of the publication, call the Arts Education Partnership at (202) 326-8693, send a fax to (202) 408-8076, or send an e-mail to aep@ccsso.org.
- *Young Children and the Arts: Making Creative Connections.* To request a copy of the publication, call the Arts Education Partnership at (202) 326-8693, send a fax to (202) 408-8076 or send an email to aep@ccsso.org.
- *Coming Up Taller: Arts and Humanities Programs for Children and Youth at Risk.* To request a copy of the publication, call the President's Committee on the Arts and the Humanities at (202) 682-5409 or send a fax to (202) 682-5668.
- *Gaining the Arts Advantage* (This is available at www.pcah.gov.)

Keeping Students Safe and Drug-Free

As you think about organizing and implementing your after-school program with an emphasis in keeping students safe and drug-free, information is available on the Department of Education's Web site at www.ed.gov/offices/OESE/SDFS. The following publications can be useful to you:

- *Manual on School Uniforms*

- *Action Guide: Creating Safe and Drug-Free Schools*
- *Growing Up Drug-Free: A Parent's Guide to Prevention*
- *Early Warning, Timely Response: A Guide to Safe Schools*
- *Preventing Youth Hate Crime*
- *Conflict Resolution Education: A Guide to Implementing Programs in Schools, Youth-Serving Organizations, and Community and Juvenile Justice Settings*
- *Manual to Combat Truancy*

Promoting Family Involvement

As you think about organizing and implementing your after-school program with an emphasis on promoting family and community involvement, information is available on the Department of Education's Web site at www.pfie.ed.gov. These publications can be useful to you:

- *A Business Guide to Support Employee and Family Involvement in Education (from the Conference Board, 1997)*
- *A Compact for Learning: An Action Handbook for Family-School-Community Partnerships*
- *America Goes Back to School: Partners' Activity Kit 1998, 1997, 1996, 1995*

- *An Invitation to Your Community: Building Community Partnerships for Learning*
- *Building Business & Community Partnerships for Learning*
- *Community Update*
- *A New Understanding of Parent Involvement*
- *Employers, Families and Education*
- *Fathers' Involvement in Their Children's Schools*
- *Family Involvement in Children's Education: Successful Local Approaches*
- *Family Involvement in Education: A National Portrait*
- *New Skills for New Schools*
- *Parent Involvement in Children's Education: Efforts by Public Elementary Schools*
- *Preparing Teachers to Involve Families: Teacher and Administrator Preparation Kit*
- *Reaching All Families*
- *Strong Families, Strong Schools*
- *Summer Home Learning Recipes*
- *Using Technology to Strengthen Employee and Family Involvement in Education*

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